

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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Exr. F. Garcia

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For: HERMETIC COMPRESSOR AND MANUFACTURING METHOD OF
SUCTION MUFFLER

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2008, please amend the above-captioned application as follows: